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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce
LUCIUS DILLS
as a candidate for Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 1, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the polls.

We are authorized to announce
A. J. WELTER
as a candidate for Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 1, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the polls.

A Merry Christmas to you.

Las Vegas is having an epidemic of suicides.

The Record force will celebrate Christmas tomorrow, so don't look for a paper.

Editor Pulitzer is going to Panama himself, to ascertain the exact conditions there.

The editorials of the Albuquerque Citizen are evidently patterned after the almanacs; but not the Santa Fe Almanac—patent medicine almanacs.

Uncle Sam's income is now less than his monthly expenditures by some ten millions of dollars, but still Congress shows a disposition to make larger appropriations than ever.

The editor of the Las Vegas Optic has called on his readers for opinions as to what the coming legislature should do. One reply goes straight to the point: "The legislature should meet and at once adjourn."

Col. Max took a trip to New York. His verdict is that the hotels of Santa Fe have all the great palatial es-

tablishments of Gotham beaten by many a mile. The Colonel is a keen observer.

The City of Pittsburg will not be outdone. San Francisco having uncovered the greatest political-grafting scandal in any American city for the last ten or fifteen years, it is now up to Pittsburg to go her one better, and Pittsburg has undertaken the job. It is a great city; great in wealth, having the largest railroad tonnage of any city in the United States, and also producing more scandals in high life than any other half dozen American cities outside of New York.

It is a well known fact that Castro, the man who has stirred up more trouble in South America in recent years than any other half dozen politicians and revolutionists, maintains a most efficient press bureau in the United States. It is the business of this organization to flood the newspapers with material showing what a great benefactor he has been to Venezuela and how he is being mistreated by the United States and other countries. Yet some of our New Mexico newspapers are publishing this rot.

As Judge Welter says, the office of justice of the peace, although dealing only with minor law cases, is a most important one as many of the larger and more important cases have their initial start in that court. For this reason the Record believes that great care should be taken to keep this office free from injurious political influences. We believe the method of selecting the justice of the peace that has hitherto prevailed to be better than the one that has been attempted in the present case. The Record be-

lieves that this one office at least, should be kept free from the controlling influences of political maneuvering, and each candidate stand on his individual merit, rather than on the principles and merits of the political party to which he may belong. The Record has nothing to say against any of the three candidates in the field so far, but we are impelled to say that we believe Judge Welter has made a good record and is entitled to the credit for it.

Store open tonight.—Stine Shoe Co.

GAULLEUR CLUB

HAS ELEGANT ROOMS.
The improvement of the club rooms of the Gaullieur Dancing Club, in the Gaullieur building has been completed after much hard work on the part of the members and they now have a place of which they are justly proud. The floor is in the best of condition and the decorations for their big dance Christmas night are beautiful. The ceiling has been draped with bunting of the club colors, red and white, and the lights shaded in the same hues. The Christmas dance promises to be a big affair for the members and their friends. The club gave a dancing party Tuesday night with nineteen couples in attendance, which proved a pleasant occasion. Mrs. Norvell, piano, and Miss Matheny, violin, furnished the music.

Land scrip is scarce, only a few thousand acres left, and the price is steadily rising. Our supply is limited. We offer our present holdings subject to sale and rise in price without notice. Several tracts.—Roswell Title & Trust Co. 46tf

Alfalfa Hay for Sale.
Phone J. P. Collier, 192, 2 rings, 55tf.

G. P. Cleveland, Jr. of Brownsville, Tex., who is making an extended visit with his parents at Artesia, returned to that town last night after spending two days in Roswell.

Don't fail to see the Roswell Gas Co's show window. 53tf

Major A. J. Thayer is reported to be very ill at his home in the Fort property on North Kentucky avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Boyce and children arrived last night from Channing, Tex., to spend Christmas with their son, a cadet at the Military Institute.

"And Laid Him in a Manger."
Within a manger dim and rude
She laid the Babe of Bethlehem;
She wrapped Him in no purple robe,
And crowned Him with no diadem.
Instead of throngs, to shout and gaze,
A few poor peasants knelt in praise.

'Twas but a humble shepherd band
That heard the sweet angelic strain
Floating a-down the silent night
In praise of Him who came to reign.
In a stable crib—how strange to tell—
They found the King Immanuel.

And as to-day ye laud His name,
Extol Him as the Mighty One,
Remember that within the inn,
There was no room for Mary's Son.
Your King upon that natal day
In a rude lowly manger lay.
—Edward M. Spencer.

CLIMBS COURT HOUSE STEPS.

Automobile Performs Feat Creating Wild Excitement.
Special to the Dallas News.

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 19.—An automobile party of four from Dallas created something of a sensation this afternoon by climbing the steep steps of the Tarrant County court house in their car, a feat which is somewhat remarkable owing to the fact that the incline is not less than forty-five degrees and the light rain prevailing at the time made the steps slippery enough to make the accomplishment somewhat precarious as well as unusual.

The party consisted of J. O. Wharton of the Studebaker Company's Dallas sales staff; B. R. Webb, of Fort Worth, F. L. Estey of Chicago and George Meinzinger of Detroit. The car used was the E. M. F. "30."

The Cummins Garage has the agency for this great machine and has two carloads of autos of this make on their way to Roswell, which they expect to arrive any day.

LEE NUTTER, COW MAN

FOUND DEAD IN ROOM.

From Albuquerque Journal.
Las Vegas, N. M., Dec. 22.—Lee Nutter, one of the most prominent cattlemen in this vicinity, was found dead on the floor of room 23 of the Castaneda hotel at 9 o'clock this morning. A bullet from a Colt's revolver had pierced the body, inflicting a wound which apparently caused instant death. The revolver, an automatic of the latest pattern, was found beside the body. When last seen yesterday about four o'clock, Mr. Nutter was inquiring of the hotel clerk for a man with which to clean his revolver. Deceased was preparing to leave for the Colfax county ranch of Dr. Richard A. Morley, with whom he had closed a cattle deal during the early afternoon.

Mr. Nutter spent a portion of the day yesterday with Superintendent Kurn, of the Santa Fe road, and Mr. Kurn declares that Nutter appeared to be in the best of spirits. Many other friends of the dead man who had talked with him within the past few days state that he showed no signs of despondency and the only theory offered to account for his sad fate is that he accidentally shot himself while cleaning his revolver. The body will be taken to Chandler, Okla., where the suddenly bereaved widow is visiting her father.

Mr. Nutter has visited in Roswell on several occasions and is known to many Roswell people. He formerly resided at Sapulpa, Okla.

We have several thousand dollars worth of ten per cent paper for sale, that is gilt-edged.—Woodruff & DeFreest. 53t3

John B. Kipling, the "kandy king," had to go home and to bed yesterday with grip and right in the heart of the Christmas trade.

J. P. Dunnahoo has accepted a position as driver for the City Livery.

Don't be afraid to let your children eat all of Luff's candy they want. Guaranteed positively pure.—North counter, Payton Drug Store. 51tf

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Brunk returned to Dexter last night after spending the day here with their children shopping for Christmas.

Miss Una Bedichek, teacher of science in the Roswell High school, left last night for Artesia, where she will spend Christmas. From there she will go to the teachers' territorial meeting at Albuquerque.

Read This

Would you like to make your wife a nice Xmas present? Then buy this lot at a bargain. Lot has South-east front, 1-2 interest in artesian well, splendid location and at a very low figure.—Roswell Title & Trust Co. tf

Ideal Flat Iron Cleaner at the Enterprise Hardware Co., 23t3

SALVATION ARMY

PROGRAM SATURDAY.

Following is the program for the Salvation Army's celebration of Christmas, which will be held at their hall on Saturday night, to which all are cordially invited:

Opening Song—Selected.
Prayer—Captain Clement.
Hoop Drill—Sunday School' children.

Recitation—"Bells Are Ringing."
Song—"Jolly Old St. Nicholas."
Musical Selection—String Band.
Recitation—"I'd Rather Be a Boy."
Glory Song—With motions.
Recitation—"Xmas Is Coming."
Song Duet—"It Is Xmas in the City"
Recitation—"Hang Up the Baby's Stocking."

Duet—"They Believed the Star"
Recitation—"Last Hymn."
Recitation—"Xmas Is So Long Coming."

Song—"When Jesus Was a Child."
Recitation—"Something in My Pocket."

Recitation—"Huldah's Bean."
Musical Selection—Violin and Guitar.

Recitation—"The Two Bibles."
Song—"Star of the East."
Recitation—"My Grandpa."

Recitation—"Fixin' Up for Christmas."
Motion Song—Six girls.

Song—Selected.
Musical Selection.
Song—"Merry Xmas Bells."

Dialogue—"The Banner that Shall Win."
Song—"The Old Story."

Song—"Tell Me What You Have for Me."
Recitation—Welcome.
Santa Claus.

Distribution of presents.
R. L. Whitehead left this morning for Woodward, Okla., to spend Christmas with lady friends.

W. D. Hedrick left this morning for Kansas City on land and immigration business.

D. H. Rathbone came up from Dexter yesterday on a short business visit.

T. T. Mitchell, formerly of this city, is here for a few days' stay, having brought down a number of immigrant cars for the railroad company.

Earl Nichols came up from his claim near Lake Arthur this morning to spend Christmas in town.

AFTER CHRISTMAS

We will go over our entire stock and mark down a lot of stuff regardless of what it cost us.

The Same
Price
To All



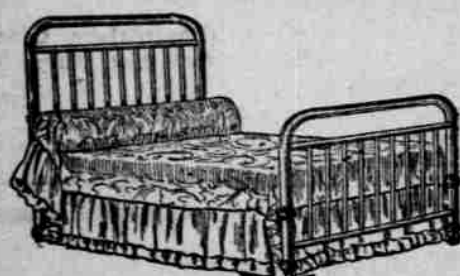
Weathered Oak Mission Extension Table, 8 ft. long, 5 ft. wide, \$30.85.

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To All

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